

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

RITCHIE JACKSON,

Defendant.

Criminal Action No. 06-79-GMS

**MOTION FOR A SCHEDULING CONFERENCE**

The United States, by and through Colm F. Connolly, United States Attorney for the District of Delaware, and Beth Moskow-Schnoll, Assistant United States Attorney for the District of Delaware, hereby moves the Court to set a scheduling conference in the above-captioned case for the reasons set forth below.

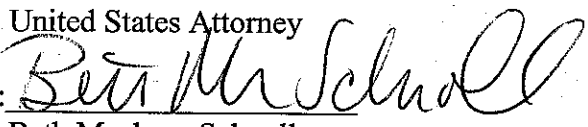
1. The Indictment returned against the defendant was unsealed on July 24, 2006.
2. The defendant was arraigned on July 12, 2007, and the pre-trial motions date was set for August 27, 2007. D.I. 16. No pre-trial motions have been filed as of the date of this application.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully asks the Court to set a date for a scheduling conference in order to address the scheduling of trial in this matter. A proposed form of order is attached for the Court's convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

COLM F. CONNOLLY  
United States Attorney

By:

  
Beth Moskow-Schnoll  
Assistant United States Attorney

Dated: October 30, 2007

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**ORDER**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2007, that

1. A scheduling conference in this matter will be held on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_.m. in Courtroom 4A, J. Caleb Boggs Federal Building, 844 King Street, Wilmington, Delaware;

2. Because the Court finds that a brief continuance in this matter to permit the Court and the parties to meet and confer on the further scheduling of this case outweighs the interest of the defendant and the public in a speedy trial, IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the time between the date of this Order and the date of the scheduling conference are excluded from computation of the Speedy Trial Act in the interests of justice, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(A).

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HONORABLE GREGORY M. SLEET  
Chief United States District Judge